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1.	This is a FIRST submission of items	concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
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3.	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.								
4.	The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).								
5	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))								
	 a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. has been communicated by the International Bureau. 								
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6.□	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).								
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	b. has been previously submi	tted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Aplication under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))								
	a. are attached hereto (require	ed only if not communicated by the Internation	onal Bureau).						
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8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).								
9. X	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (Two-Page)								
10.	An English lanugage translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
Iten	ns 11 to 20 below concern documen	t(s) or information included:							
11.	An Information Disclosure Statemen	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.							
12.	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13.	A FIRST preliminary amendment.								
14.	A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.								
15.	A substitute specification.								
16.	A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.								
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.								
18.	A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
19.	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
20.	Other items or information:								

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Inventors: Philippe Chanclou et al.

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Transmittal letter dated November 5, 2001
Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371
Executed two-page Declaration
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